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APPENDIX A TO SUBPART B OF PART 591—PLACES AND RATES AT WHICH ALLOWANCES ARE PAID

This appendix lists the places approved for a cost-of-living allowance and shows the authorized allowance rate for each area. The allowance rate shown is paid as a percentage of an employee's rate of basic pay. The rates are subject to change based on the results of future surveys.

Geographic coverage	Allowance rate (percent)
State of Alaska:	
City of Anchorage and 80-kilometer	
(50-mile) radius by road	23
City of Fairbanks and 80-kilometer	
(50-mile) radius by road	23
City of Juneau and 80-kilometer	
(50-mile) radius by road	23
Rest of the State	25
State of Hawaii:	
City and County of Honolulu	25
Hawaii County, Hawaii	18
County of Kauai	25
County of Maui and County of	
Kalawao	25
Territory of Guam and Commonwealth of the	
Northern Mariana Islands	25
Commonwealth of Puerto Rico	14
U.S. Virgin Islands	25

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APPENDIX B TO SUBPART B OF PART 591—PLACES AND RATES AT WHICH DIFFERENTIALS ARE PAID

This appendix lists the places where a post differential has been approved and shows the differential rate to be paid to eligible employees. The differential percentage rate shown is paid as a percentage of an employee's rate of basic pay.

Geographic coverage	Percent- age dif- ferential rate
American Samoa (including the island of Tutuila, the Manua Islands, and all other islands of the Samoa group east of longitude 171° west of Greenwich, together with Swains Island)	25.0 25.0 25.0 20.0 25.0

## Subpart C—Allowance Based on Duty at Remote Worksites

AUTHORITY: 5 U.S.C. 5942; sec. 8, E.O. 11609, 3 CFR 1971–1975 Comp., p. 591; 5 U.S.C. 1104, Pub. L. 95–454, 92 Stat. 1120 and Sec. 3(5) of Pub. L. 95–454; 92 Stat. 1120.

SOURCE: 44 FR 55134, Sept. 25, 1979, unless otherwise noted.

#### § 591.301 Purpose.

This subpart prescribes the regulations required by section 5942 of title 5, United States Code, for the payment of an allowance based on duty at remote worksites

#### § 591.302 Coverage.

- (a) Agencies. This subpart applies to executive departments as defined in section 101 of title 5, United States Code, and to independent establishments as defined in section 104 of title 5, United States Code, but does not apply to Government corporations as defined in section 103 of title 5, United States Code.
- (b) Employee. This subpart applies to each employee assigned to a permanent duty station at or within a designated remote duty post, except an employee who is a permanent or temporary resident at the remote duty post, and except foreign nationals employed at remote duty posts in foreign countries.

# § 591.303 Responsibilities of agencies and the Office of Personnel Management.

- (a) Each agency is responsible for:
- (1) Establishing and subsequently adjusting, in accordance with the provisions of this subpart, an allowance for each remote duty post at which the agency has employees and which meets the criteria in paragraph (a)(1) of §591.304, as restricted by paragraph (b) of §591.304;
- (2) Advising the Office of Personnel Management of each establishment or adjustment of an allowance under paragraph (a)(1) of this section, and of the basis for such establishment or adjustment:
- (3) Submitting a recommendation to the Office of Personnel Management to establish or adjust an allowance for each remote duty post at which the agency has employees and which meets the criteria in paragraph (a)(2) or (a)(3) or paragraph (c) of §591.304; and
- (4) Advising the Office of Personnel Management in a timely manner of any changes in a duty post or commuting conditions or other factors that may